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MEMORANDUM FOR: Chief, Data Management Division, NPIC

SUBJECT : Review of SAC MCI-Type Report

1. [] has requested that a typical SAC Photo Reconnaissance Index (PRI) of a typical KEYHOLE mission be reviewed. I'm asking you to undertake this study since I feel that: (1) your Classification Section is in an excellent position to accomplish this task, and (2) it is not a PI function.

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2. The purpose of the project is to determine what contributions are made by the SAC PRI which are not made by NPIC's MCI.

3. To achieve this, please compare the PRI and the MCI as to format, targets covered and PI content; specifically:

a. Format - What data are routinely presented in the PRI that are not presented in the MCI, and vice versa?

b. Targets - what is the difference in target lists between the two publications?

c. PI Content - For similar targets are there any differences in the PI content of the two publications? How extensive are these differences, if any?

4. I have asked RS/NPIC by copy of this memorandum to establish this as a "P" Project.

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Operations Officer, NPIC

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